

PROCLAMATION  
BY THE  
Governor of the State of Texas

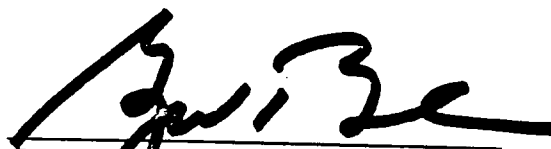
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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14, of the Texas Constitution, I, George W. Bush, Governor of Texas, do hereby disapprove and veto Senate Bill No. 20 because of the following objections:

Senate Bill No. 20 contradicts the Texas Constitution which allows the Governor to fill vacancies in newly created courts. Thirteen of the 15 new courts which are created in this Bill would be created in 1999, and they can be created by the 1999 Legislature in a way that conforms with the Constitution.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 20th day of June, 1997.

  
George W. Bush  
Governor of Texas